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Sir:

This is in response to the restriction requirement dated April 20, 2004. Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-5, and 70-78. Claim 81 should not be in the group, it should have been dependent on claim 80. Applicant elects species A, phase altering elements which are indentations on the object ask.

Please change the docket number for this case to 116-001b.

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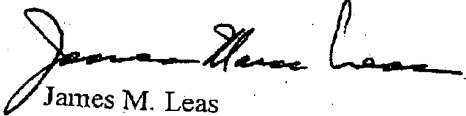
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